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## A PENNSYLVANIAN'S VIEW OF FLORIDA

One of Gainesville's Winter Visitors Highly Praises the Land of Flowers and Advises Other Tourists to Visit the State.

The following article descriptive of Florida is from the Mount Union (Pa.) Times and was written by Mr. Harry Kieferle, who spent last winter in Gainesville:

When a Northerner hears Florida spoken of, in his imagination immediately arises a vision of a country where it is always summer, a land ever green, no snow and no ice, where you can sit out of doors all seasons of the year in your shirtsleeves and fans are in demand. Nothing can be further from the truth.

All the above is realized in summer, but not so in winter when the unappreciated Yankee goes South and realizes that he will never need his overcoat. Having previously spent a season in a sub-tropical portion of the South in the state of Louisiana we were fully prepared for winter weather, and never realized that we made the mistake.

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Florida. The state in a straight line is not less than 400 miles from north to south and there is some variation in the temperature, to be sure. Last winter's freeze, which injured the orange and other crops in Florida, created a cry which was echoed from all parts of the state, and we ourselves saw real ice, and from others we learned that they had ice a long ways down in the state. Nevertheless, while we have said all this, we have no desire to discourage the tourist, and are still able to say that Florida is a good retreat in winter from Northern cold, and the winter is much easier to bear, and if one goes to South Florida will find it warm and pleasant.

## Has Much to Offer.

Florida has much to offer in the way of contrast to what we see in the North. It is an interesting country and some of nature's real wonders are to be seen there. In the first place it has one of the noblest rivers in the world, flowing from south to north making its way through a number of beautiful lakes, large and small, being narrow, but deep enough for navigation in its upper portions, and further down towards its mouth widening out into a broad and beautiful expanse of water, with a variety of interesting sub-tropical scenery. Its shores lined with tropical verdure and tall palm-trees, with here and there a picture of a plantation, an orange grove, great water oak trees, covered with the beautiful draping Spanish moss form a picture pleasing and attractive to the eye.

As we ride along on the steamboat watching the changing scenery, we note at once a country different from our own and as it is not hot on the decks even in summer when sitting under an awning, nothing more restful could be imagined. Then at night when the charming soft moonlight overspreads the earth and water we see the stars reflected in the dark waters of the river we feel as if we could stay forever to view this sombre picture and confusion of light, water, forest and prairie, and be cooled by the gentle blowing breezes as the boat swiftly glides along, leaving in its wake the long swells dashing against the shores and casting up fish or driving the alligator to cover.

## A Florida Wonder.

Silver Springs, which is reached either by railroad or by steamer, on the Ocklawaha river, is one of the sights of the world, which attracts visitors from all parts of the country and globe. Imagine five large springs forming a body of water covering sev-

eral acres, gushing forth and throwing out sufficient water to create an addition of 300,000,000 gallons of water a day to the Ocklawaha, a tributary of the St. Johns river, and so clear that tourists throw coins into its depths, varying from 40 to 80 feet, to see the coin circle about as it goes down and then show itself lying on the bottom. A rock bottom with coloring so rich and so beautiful that it is difficult to describe it, having a carpet of blue and green and spangled with a silver sheen on top, and by way of comparison called the Ladies' Parlor. Then the fish, large and small, the alligators and turtles, numerous enough, and this beautiful stream of crystal clear water flowing thus for nine miles through grand forests of cypress, palmetto, fern and whatever else this land can show that is novel, weird, fanciful and interesting to where Silver Springs Run empties itself into the Ocklawaha river.

It was our pleasure to dwell and tarry in some of Florida's pretty cities and towns, where there is hardly aught else to be seen but the evidences of progress, and a determination and desire to supplement what God has so richly bestowed on Florida with those material adornments that man and art only can add.

Florida products being so well known it is scarcely necessary to make mention of them, but among them may be noted the orange and kindred fruits, the pineapple, watermelon, cantaloupe, garden truck in great variety, strawberries, delicious peaches. In woods the cypress, pine, water and live oak trees, the palmetto, in mining phosphate and the great naval stores and turpentine interests, which are now bringing in so much wealth to those financially interested in this product, also cotton.

## The Water Hyacinth.

Florida just now is much bothered by a plant known as the water hyacinth, which floats on top of and in time covers a lake or river. It is an imported plant which some well intentioned but not wise person introduced in Florida, probably to increase its beauty, as it grows a flower of beautiful lavender color. It is a great nuisance and impedes navigation and the government has been busy trying to kill it off, with some success.

To try to describe the flowers of Florida is something I will not attempt not being sufficiently familiar with the names of its flowers. Sufficient to say that some of the well kept gardens in Florida towns have frequently engaged my eye and attention as I had the pleasure to daily look upon them, and they are always to be seen. Then we must not forget the mocking bird, which sings so sweetly, and whose morning carols are unrivaled by anything in the world of "feathered songsters," its unique imitations and chirrup causing one to wonder with delight and pleasure.

It is impossible to speak of all we saw in Florida or going and coming in other parts of the South, nor have we spoken of old St. Augustine, together with Fort San Marco, over 400 years old, and its oldest house on the conti-

## CHURCH HONORS DR. HODSON'S MEMORY

Devotes Page in Its Minutes to Expression of Esteem in Which He Was Held.

At a meeting of the Priest-in-charge, Warden and Church Committee of St. Katharine's Church, Pensacola, Fla., held at the Rectory on Tuesday, July 11, 1905, the following minute was adopted:

In the passing of the Rev. Horatio Wiseman Pell Hodson, Ph. D., we acknowledge a deep sense of our own bereavement. An able, fearless, loyal and Catholic-minded priest of the Church of God has been called from labor unto refreshment.

For nearly two years Doctor Hodson was in charge of St. Katharine's Church. Much of that time he had to battle with the disease which had fastened upon him, with all its attendant train of sufferings, and great physical weakness. But strong in spirit he planned and carried out all his work for the Master.

The enlargement and beautifying of the Church building, and the financial betterment of St. Katharine's mission evidenced his ability, energy, and wisdom. We now gratefully place on record our tribute to his memory. "God grant to the soul of Thy faithful servant a place of refreshment, the blessedness of eternal peace, and the brightness of heavenly light; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

The secretary will convey to the family of Doctor Hodson a copy of this minute, and an expression of our heartfelt condolence.

## BLUE RIBBON

## BEER ON DRAUGHT

S. A. Friedman, Pensacola agent for Pabst beer, has just received a personal letter from President Gustave Pabst, of the Pabst Brewing Co., which states that on account of the great popularity of their Blue Ribbon beer, they will shortly supply this grade as a draught beer. Heretofore it has been served only in bottles, but the demand for it has been so great that the decision to put it on the market in the form of a draught beer also has been made. Mr. Friedman will notify the public when the Blue Ribbon Draught Beer arrives.

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## STATE ASYLUM SCANDAL AGAIN

Testimony on Which Attendants Are Said to Have Based Demand for Yarbrough's Removal.

The walk-out of the 29 or 30 attendants at the state insane asylum last week has had the effect of some investigation as to the cause of their action. The attendants demanded that Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Yarbrough be dismissed from the asylum and on the refusal of the superintendent to comply with their demand they walked out in a body.

They are said to base their complaint against Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough on the statements alleged to have been made by Mr. Yarbrough before the investigating committee appointed by the legislature. The Jacksonville Metropolis says:

The article complained of is that part of the report of the asylum investigating committee of the legislature composing Senator W. K. Jackson and Representatives J. W. Knight, Jas. A. Sledge and J. F. Fillingim, in answer to the statements made by the Board of State Institutions regarding the asylum. A part of this report gave information that the charges alleging immorality were in a large measure prompted by information obtained from D. W. C. Yarbrough, of the asylum.

## What Yarbrough Said.

In defending its former position in denouncing the conduct of the asylum the legislative committee in its report said:

"The committee did not ask nor did it know the name of any female employee or how long any female employed in the hospital had been there, nor did the committee ask if any one or more of the employees were unchaste. If the good name or character of the female employees has been traduced it was not done by the committee. Mr. D. W. C. Yarbrough did volunteer some very damaging information to one member of the committee with reference, as he expressed it, to the reprehensible conduct between male and female attendants. He said they had gone out in pairs or couples two nights in the week rambling and lying out until late, and in one instance a couple were out all night; that when Dr. Gwin was away so long last summer, he (Yarbrough) determined to stop it, etc.; that in one instance he was satisfied something wrong was going on in a room and he opened the door quickly and found them in a very compromising position; that they had gone to such an extent that there seemed to be no degree of shame of one couple in the presence of another. He did not call names nor was he asked to do so. He also referred to some two or more female attendants and probably one patient, who had given birth within two to four months after leaving the hospital. He also referred to the conduct of Dr. Gwin and a female employee also many lectures he had given Dr. Gwin about his cold-blooded negligence and indifference with reference to treatment of patients, his manner and method of purchase and disbursement of supplies, and his ingratitude towards him that when he left he did not so much as speak a kind word to the incoming superintendent in his (Yarbrough's) behalf, etc., etc. So as before said, if the character of the female employees has been traduced, Mr. Yarbrough and the writer of that remarkable document have done it, for the writer of the document says: 'Many of whom are virtuous and pure women of our own state.' Notice he says many—a clear imputation that some are not. It would now be in order and the right thing for the female employees to demand that the board of commissioners point out and name such of them as are virtuous and pure and such as are not. They (the board) say some are virtuous and some are not. Produce the proof of your assertion, gentlemen. You have attacked, you have traduced the good name of a part of the female employees in the hospital. Name them—or withdraw what you have written or some of the good families of Gainesville county, from which these employees come, may make the proposition interesting to you. So far as the committee knows, every female now employed in the hospital is as pure and chaste as the new-born babe in its mother's arms, and if the searchlight of truth is ever turned on the great hullabaloo raised about that clause of the committee's report, it will show that it was the work of selfish, designing men to draw the attention of the public from the main question of responsibility for the evils in and about the institution, and as being the most effective means to break down the effect of the committee's report. Shame on you, or any man or men, who would resort to sentiment, and make breastworks of a lot of women to protect yourselves."

## Testing "Jim Crow" Law.

A Jacksonville negro got himself arrested a few days ago for violating the new street car law which provides for separate compartments for the two races. He then proceeded to employ a lawyer with a view to testing the constitutionality of the law, but found his game blocked when the county solicitor refused to prosecute him and dismissed the case. The street car company will be prosecuted for not complying with the law which calls for division screens in the cars; and after these screens have been put in the first car who wants to test the constitutionality of the law will be accommodated.—Live Oak Democrat.

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